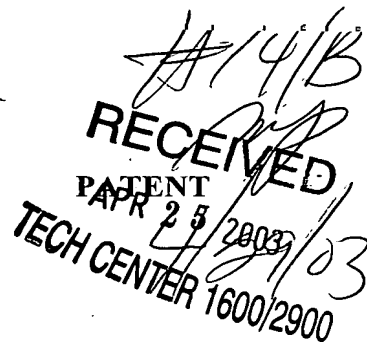


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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

This amendment and response are filed in response to the non-final Office Action, mailed on November 25, 2002, in the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the Office Action is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks. A petition for a two month extension of time is also included.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 64 to 145, without disclaimer or prejudice.